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**PATENT  
Confirmation No. 4512**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Hong-zhi Zhang	Examiner:	Stephen K. Yam
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Title:	Method and Device for Processing Optical Signals in Computer Mouse		

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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May 7, 2009

**CUSTOMER NO. 24728**

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is a preliminary amendment in response to the Final Office action mailed December 9, 2008 and the Advisory Action mailed April 1, 2009, concurrently with an RCE request. Prior to calculating the filing fees and examining the present application on its merits, please amend the claims as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this Amendment.